

PATENT Atty. Docket No. 29997/035A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Malackowski et al.) Title: SURGERY SYS	STEM
Serial No.: 09/764,609) Group Art Unit: 3732	
Filed: January 17, 2001) Examiner: Unknown	
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for the above application.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8)

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail; postage prepaid, on December 9, 2002, in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

J. William Frank, III



Small Entity Status

]	Verified statement(s) claiming small entity status is(are) attached	d. RECEIVED
[]	Small entity status has been established and is still effective.	DEC 1 8 2002
]	Has not been established.	—
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2. Claims

The fee for additional claims [(37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)] has been calculated as shown below:

				SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL	61	MINUS	79	= 0	X 9=	\$	X18=	\$ -0-
INDEP.	3	MINUS	19	= 0	X42=	\$	X84=	\$ -0-
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim +140=					\$	+280=	s	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE						\$	OR	\$ -0-

3. Method of Payment of Fees

ſ	1	Attached	is	a	check	in	the	amount	of	f:

- [] Charge Deposit Account No. 50-1903 in the amount of:
- [X] A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

4. Deposit Account and Refund Authorization

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the amount enclosed or any additional fees which may be required during the pendency of this application under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17, except issue fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-1903. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

Please refund any overpayment to E. McCracken and Frank at the address below.

Respectfully submitted,

McCracken and Frank

December 9, 2002

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